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- Beginning 31 January 1949 Comite Obrero Nacional Independiente (CONI) 10 leaders held several meetings with government officials, including President Carlos Prio Socarras, Prime Minister Varona, and Labor Minister Buttari, to discuss the possibilities of unifying Cuban lebor.
- The CONI labor group anticipates a union with the Comision Obrera Nacional (CON) in time to present a solid anti-Communist front to offset the Communist Confederacion de Trabajadores de Cuba (CTC) plans for an April Congress. Angel Cofine, leader of the CONI, reportedly will be re-elected as Secretary General of the anti-Communist CTC.
- 3. The Accion Revolucionaria Guiteras (ARG), which only a short time ago announced its intention of forming a separate CTC, is moving closer to CON and a definite understanding between the two is possible.

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